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The Week in Oxford County

Peter Roy of Rumford died Sunday as the result of an accident at the farm of Homer Bartlett on Friday. A tractor, which Roy was driving, overturned, pinning him beneath it. He suffered three fractured ribs and internal injuries. He was removed to the Rumford Hospital where he succumbed on Sunday. Immediately after helping relocate the injured man, Homer Bartlett collapsed and died from a heart attack.

Albert Pomeroy, nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pomeroy of South Paris, was injured when struck by a car after he fell from his bicycle. The accident occurred on Nichols St. The boy was treated by Dr. D. M. Stewart, who said he suffered bruises of the face and a possible concussion.

The senior class of Andover High School, with their principal, Donald Mailoux, will leave June 9 on their class trip through the New England States and New York to Niagara Falls. They plan to camp out in State Parks, thereby keeping costs at a minimum.

Rumford was one of six cities in the State which went through 1950 without a single traffic death, thereby being on the National Safety Council honor roll.

Joe Webster of Dixfield has two cub bears at his home, judged to be about two months old. They were captured near East Madryd by Lee Sawtelle of Wilton. Over 500 people, majority of which were children, visited the Webster home Sunday, to see the bears.

Dana Bean, owner of Bean's Garage in Lovell, lost his license for a State inspection station after officials found a sticker was issued the car in which three lost their lives April 29. It was found the car has a faulty steering mechanism, which caused it to get out of control and plunge into Lake Kezar, drowning Mrs. Maude Merrill, her daughter and step-daughter.

CANDIDATES WELCOMED TO BETHEL BASEBALL TEAM

Paul Salway was elected manager of the Bethel town team last Friday evening. The team will play under the colors of the Bethel Athletic Club.

The management will endeavor to field a heads-up nine, able to play on even terms with other Oxford County nines.

The town team will hold a practice Friday evening at Thurston Field. Any candidates for the nine are welcome.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Last week most of the Scouts who had earned uniforms and equipment on the paper drive were at the meeting when this gear was issued. Those who were unable to attend will receive theirs tonight. A large group of candidates will try this evening to qualify before their patrol for the rank of tenderfoot, which is the first step up the Scouting trail.

At 7:30 we plan to have marching practice again in preparation for the Memorial Day parade. All Scouts planning to attend Summer camp should bring their 200 registration fee.

TWO MOOSE SEEN ON

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brown, who live in Bethel about one-half mile above Dupre's camp on Sunday River, were surprised Tuesday morning to see two moose in their yard when they got up. Even when they heard voices they didn't seem in any hurry to walk away.

FREE BAND CONCERT SUNDAY

There will be an old fashioned free band concert at Gould Academy, Sunday, May 27, at 3 p. m. The concert is made up of the bands of Buckfield High School, Gould Academy, Hebron Academy, Monticello Falls High School, and the Norway Community Band. A similar concert was held at Hebron Academy last Sunday.

This concert is under the direction of Pearl Cook Kilborn.

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HOMER J. BARTLETT

Homer J. Bartlett died Friday, May 18, at his home at Rumford Point, shortly after freeing Peter Roy, who was pinned beneath an overturned tractor.

Until nine years ago when he came to Rumford he was employed in Massachusetts by a hardware and plumbing concern.

He was born at Bethel, Dec. 6, 1899, the son of Judson F. and Gertrude Preble Bartlett.

He was very active in town organizations, being master of the Rumford Center Grange at the time of his death. He was a member of the Caleb Rand Lodge, IOOF, Somerville, Mass.; Rumford Point Men's Club; and Pine Tree Council Boy Scouts.

He is survived by his widow, Gladys Perkins Bartlett; a son, Pte Stanley D. Bartlett, Lowry Air Base, Denver, Colo.; two daughters, Louise S. and Marcia A. of Rumford Point; one brother, Leo G. Bartlett, Rumford Center; three sisters, Mrs. B. S. Tyler, East Bethel; Mrs. Myron Morrill, West Bethel; Mrs. Eva Swan, Locke Mills; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday from Rumford Point Congregational Church with Rev. William Penner of Barnet, Vt., and Rev. Easter Peters officiating. Burial was at West Hills Cemetery.

FREDERICK C. NOYES

Frederick C. Noyes, Bryant Pond, died suddenly last Friday while at work at the Stowell Mill.

He was born May 14, 1886, at Greenwood, the son of Horace, and Adeline Emmons Noyes. Mr. Noyes' wife, Mrs. Della Berryment Noyes died July 7, 1940. Mr. Noyes was a past chancellor of Fraternal Lodge 118, K. of P., of which he was a 36 year member.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Mildred York, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Vivian Field, Oxford; a son, Frederick C. Jr., Bryant Pond; four brothers, Winfield, Bryant Pond; Alva, North Jay; Harry, Oxford; Otis, Plattsburg, N. Y.; two sisters, Mrs. Grace Emery, Portland, and Mrs. George Brooks, Yarmouth; seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Monday from the Baptist Church, Bryant Pond. Burial at Lakeside cemetery.

GRADUATION DATES OF SCHOOLS IN UNION NO. 21

Gilead School, Tuesday, May 22, 8 p. m. at Town Hall.
Upton School, Thursday, May 31, 8 p. m. at the Church.
Branch School, Newry, Tuesday, June 5, 8 p. m. at the Church.
Greenwood, Locke Mills, Monday, June 11, 8 p. m. Town Hall.
Bethel Grammar School, Thursday, June 14, 8 p. m. William Bingham Gymnasium.

REBEKAHS TO HAVE INSPECTION JUNE 4

Sunset Rebekeah Lodge met Monday evening. It was voted to cancel the baked bean supper planned for Wednesday evening. It was decided to hold a food sale, the date to be announced later.

Mrs. Clayton Bane was appointed to have charge of the memorial flag. A rehearsal will be held Monday evening for degree work and tableaux.

A refreshment committee was appointed for the inspection meeting June 4, to include Mrs. Violet Bennett, Mrs. Everett Merrill, Mrs. Clayton Bane and Mrs. Leslie Pease.

TWIN BIRTHDAYS

A celebration was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, in honor of the fourth birthdays of their twin sons, James and Danny James, and their twin daughters, Mary and Elizabeth.

Present were Lawrence, Evelyn, Barbara, Carolyn and Charles Sprague, Bobby and Danny Baker, Dolores Lane, Stephen and Roger Inch, Anne and Carey Brown, Jeffrey, Timothy, Mary and Michael Hutchins, Karen Sue (Gough), Penny, Peter, Danny and Jimmy Jarvis, Mrs. Margaret Wilson, Mrs. Norman Brock, Mrs. Edwina (Gough) and Mrs. Lee Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis.

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CHAPMAN CLUB TO PRESENT SPRING CONCERT, MAY 27

The William Rogers Chapman Club will give its spring concert in William Bingham Gymnasium on Sunday evening, May 27, at eight o'clock.

The program will feature the senior members of the club, many of whom have been members of the club since their freshman year and have contributed much to the school and community during four years at Gould Academy.

The program is as follows:
Canadian Capers arr. by Merka Malaguena
Leguena
Jean Renwick - Susan Hamilton
At Two Pianos
My Hero from "The Chocolate Soldier" Oscar Straus
My Lover Is A Fisherman Strickland

Gloria McKee
Stelliano and Rigaudon
Fritz Kreisler
Flute solo—Eileen Linnell
Minuet in G Paderewski
Nancy Cummings
Without a Song Vincent Youmans
Blue Moon Richard Rodgers
Robert Tiff
Wunderbar from "Kiss Me Kate" Cole Porter
June is Bustin' Out All Over Rodgers
Senior members of the Club
Etude in E Major Chopin
Susan Hamilton
Let My Song Fill Your Heart Charles

Zigeuner from "Bitter Sweet" Coward
Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven
Warsaw Concerto Addinsell
Jean Renwick
Dream of Summer Franz Lehár
Chapman Club Ensemble
Accompanist, Laura Wilson

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM
The Memorial Day program will begin at 2 p. m. with all patriotic organizations, boy and girl scouts, and school children, led by Gould Academy Band, marching from the Legion Home to the monument, where the following program will be presented.

Selections by the Band
Prayer Rev. Charles Pendleton
Address John Willard
Selection Band
Memorial Day Address
Benediction Rev. David Heckland

MUNDT-ALLEN POST ENTERTAINS GOLD STAR PARENTS MONDAY EVENING

On Monday evening of this week the Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, was host at a supper party for the Gold Star parents.

Places were laid for twenty in the dining room of the Legion Home. Table decorations were bouquets of white carnations and purple pansies. Place favors were white carnations.

The committee for the luncheon and dining room consisted of John Compa, Mush McMillan, George Taylor, Frank Mary and Edmona Vachon. A delicious supper was served. Mrs. John Compa made the birthday cake and Mrs. Irvin French, only World War I Gold Star Mother cut the first slice.

The following guests were at the table: Mr. and Mrs. Irvin French, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Tibbitts, Mr. and Mrs. John Grover, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Tom I. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Morrill, Mrs. Ann Bartlett, Mrs. Gladys Bean, Mrs. Ada Valentine, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Pendleton and Mrs. Helen Sprague.

Rev. Charles Pendleton gave a witty and informal talk following supper and a social hour was enjoyed.

Club Scout Pack 105 will sponsor a picnic Saturday afternoon in Rumford Park. The picnic will begin at 2 p. m. and will leave from the Park, up Church Street, down Main Street and up High Street, and back to the starting point.

There will be a main performance with side shows, freaks, wild animals and pony rides. A home-cooked food booth will be in charge of Mrs. John Howe, Mrs. Willard Hoyton, and Mrs. Avery Angeline. Other booths serving refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. Addison Saunders, Den 1, Mrs. Donald Christie, Den 2, and Mrs. George Taylor, Den 4. The latter will feature Bud and Shirley's frozen custard. The proceeds from the picnic will be used in purchasing a flag for the Scout pack.

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RED CROSS CHAPTER HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. Ethel Blase, Grover Brooks and Kimball Ames, attended the annual meeting of the Southern Oxford County Red Cross Chapter at headquarters in South Paris Wednesday night. A pot luck supper was served, after which officers were elected and a report in Civil Defense organization was given by Colonel Millett and Captain Bean.

The March drive for the whole chapter was 73 per cent successful. For the Bethel Branch it was 96 per cent. It is proposed to have swimming courses again with whatever personnel can be obtained. Applications will be provided through the schools.

Letters of appreciation were received from German children for gifts sent through the Red Cross by the Gilead school, Bethel Grammar School and Gould Academy.

Civil Defense plans to have a representative from Bethel, together with at least two others from Southern Oxford, attend a training class at Wellfleet for Home Nursing in the fall. They will return and give classes here.

Henry Stone, Chapter Disaster Committee Chairman, plans a meeting of all Branch Disaster Committees June 20.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INITIATION AT GOULD

Monday morning the students of Gould Academy witnessed the first public initiation of the new members of the National Honor Society. Membership is based upon four qualities: Scholarship, Character, Leadership and School Service.

Scholarship was explained by the Headmaster, Elwood F. Ireland, as the first requisite of a candidate. A senior must be in the upper 25% of his class while only 15% of the class can be chosen. Juniors must have an average of 85% or better and only 7% of the class may be elected as Juniors. Having attained this scholarship grade, the members are selected by faculty vote on the further criteria of character, leadership and service.

The following program was conducted by the members elected last year from the Junior class: Rosemary Kelley, Hiram, Maine; Laura Wilson, Bethel, Maine; Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven, Bethel, Maine; Theodore Chadbourne, Bethel, Maine, and Leslie Streeter, Northfield, Vt.

Scripture Reading, Matthew 23:14-20
Rosemary Kelley
Scholarship Requirements
Mr. Ireland
Character Laura Wilson
Leadership Theodore Chadbourne
Service Leslie Streeter
Tapping of new members by present members

Pledge of National Honor Society
Mr. Ireland
Singing of "America" by assembly
1st verse of verses of Gould
Alma Mater Led by Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven
Pledge of Allegiance to Flag
Led by Rosemary Kelley
Newly elected members:

Seniors:
Charlotte Stevens, Bethel.
Thomas Lamson, Northfield, Vt.
James Durham, Monson
Margaret Champlain, Bethel
John Mason, Freeport

Juniors:
Carol Barton, Sharon, Mass.
Donald Bennett, Bethel.
Marilyn Mace, Bethel
John Willard, Bethel

Wednesday afternoon and evening the Honor Society were guests of Headmaster and Mrs. Ireland at Mirror Lake where a picnic and initiation ceremony were held. Mr. and Mrs. George Bowshay of the Gould faculty were also guests.

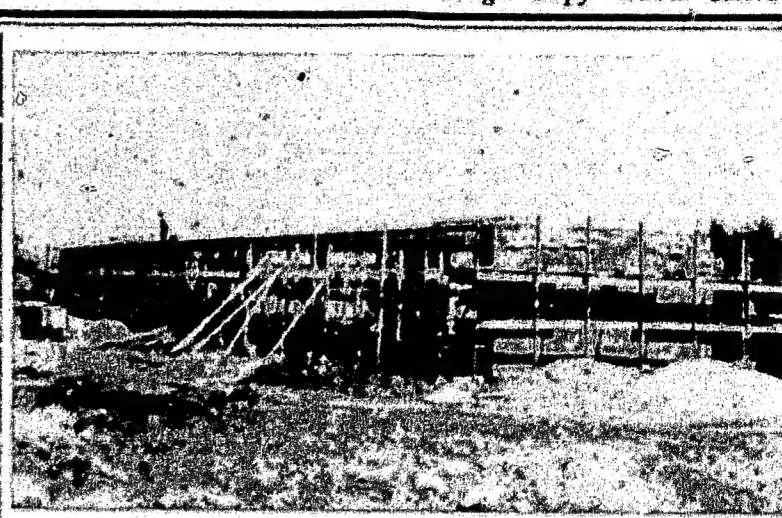
ELEANOR GORDON GUILD
The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Wednesday evening, May 23, at Virginia Keniston's. The meeting was opened with devotions by Barbara Kneeland.

It was announced that the cover to the coffee-maker had arrived and had been delivered to Mrs. Davis.

The next meeting will be June 13. The hostesses are Betty Robertson and Bea Foster. Entertainment is Mary Angeline and devotions Virginia Keniston.

Miss Patricia Allen of Hebron, one of seven contestants, was the winner in the spelling contest held at Gould Academy last Friday afternoon.

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BETHEL'S NEW SCHOOL BUILDING on the Crescent Grounds (near Mason Street) is taking shape rapidly. A great part of the outer walls and slender block partitions are already in place, so that visitors now have an idea of its design and finished appearance.

AUTHORITIES OUTLINE SCARLET FEVER TREATMENT

The present methods in use for the treatment and prevention of the spread of scarlet fever are outlined in an excerpt from Public Health Administration in the United States, for which the Citizen is indebted to William J. Young, M. D., district health officer. It will be noted that the program outlined, although much less exacting than past practices, contains some requirements which have been treated lightly in some instances in this community. We quote:

CONTROL: In view of all the new epidemiologic evidence in streptococcus infections of the throat, it becomes apparent that we must revise our methods of control completely. At first it may be difficult, from the administrative point of view, to realize that scarlet fever should not be considered as a separate clinical entity, but must be grouped with other streptococcus infections of the throat. Furthermore, scarlet fever has become so benign, and is so susceptible to clinical control by adequate therapy, that rigorous isolation and quarantine measures are not indicated, as they undoubtedly were 50 years ago. It is a good administrative rule in public health to eliminate procedures that do not give results commensurate with efforts at control that are expended.

no matter how firmly grounded are these traditional regulations in the minds of the people of the community.

Our present concepts of a suitable community program for control of this group of infections is as follows:

REPORTING: Streptococcus infections of the throat should be reported to the health department. Scarlet fever should continue to be reported as a separate clinical entity.

ISOLATION: The uncomplicated case of streptococcus infection of the throat should be carefully isolated until the mucous membranes of the throat regain their normal appearance. This period is never shorter than one week. Two weeks usually covers the period of communicability of the infection.

The complicated case, with discharging ears or nasal sinuses, with mastitis, enlarged or suppurative glands, or with pneumonia, should not be discharged from isolation until complete recovery of the condition occurs. If the complication persists for more than 6 weeks, discharge from isolation may be secured if two successive negative cultures for hemolytic streptococcus taken not less than 24 hours apart are obtained from the lesions.

DISINFECTION: Concurrent disinfection of all articles used by the patient is a necessary part of control technique, and terminal disinfection of all contaminated objects, including bed clothing, bed room furniture, floors and other objects of the apartment, are indicated.

QUARANTINE: Quarantine of contacts of a case of streptococcus infection of the throat, including a scarlet fever, has been abandoned as an ineffective procedure by most health departments. It is a good general rule that the household in which a case of scarlet fever or septic sore throat is present shall

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MRS. PHYLLIS HOWE HEADS CONGREGATIONAL GUILD

For the final meeting the Guild members enjoyed a dinner at the New Yorker Wednesday evening. Following dinner a short business meeting was held.

Mrs. Phyllis Howe requested volunteers to help in the kitchen and to sell tickets for the supper in connection with Mr. Pendleton's installation, May 28. The Guild members are urged to attend, if possible, any of the meetings of the afternoon or evening. The supper is public, and will be at 6 o'clock, preceding the 7 o'clock meeting at the church. Tickets will be on sale at the door and in advance by Guild members at \$1 each, and children under 10, 50 cents each.

There will be a meeting of the Strawberry Festival committee on Tuesday, May 29, at 1:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Jan Van. The committee includes Mrs. Sybil Nary, chairman, Mrs. Katharine Adams, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins, Mrs. Barbara Kusyk, Mrs. Frances Potter, Miss Helen Varner, Mrs. Elizabeth Lord, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Jane Kneeland, Mrs. Monique Rolfe, Mrs. Ruth Lord, Mrs. Millicent Pendleton, Mrs. Beverly Morrill, and Mrs. Lillian Young.

Mrs. Ruth Ames, chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented a slate of officers for the next year. The group voted on the officers who are: President, Mrs. Phyllis Howe; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Frances Potter; 2nd Vice-President, Louis Lord; Secretary, Eleanor Trull; and Treasurer, Mrs. Mary Moore.

A vote of thanks was given Mrs. Barbara Rough for her work the past year. The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Howe after which the group adjourned.

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
The American Legion Auxiliary held a regular meeting Tuesday evening at the Legion Home.

Final plans were made for Poppy Day, May 26, with the members taking the poppies on all streets. The Poppy Poster Contest, which was held in all the schools of the Union, was won by the following pupils: Raymond Coulombe, first; Walter Kittredge, second; and Louise Lavalley, third. All of Bethel village grammar school pupils were awarded these prizes.

All members are urged to attend church on Sunday. Please meet at the Legion Home at 10:20 and it is hoped every member will come whether they have a uniform or not.

The following officers were elected for the next year: President, Rosaline Lassiter; 1st Vice-President, Nellie Cummings; 2nd Vice-President, Josephine Trapp; Treasurer, Edna Chapman; Secretary, Hilda Lamonde; Historian, Ruth Kittredge; Chaplain, Marie French; Sgt. at Arms, Laura French; Installation will be at the next meeting June 12.

The following were elected delegates and alternates for the Department Convention at Bangor, June 22-24: Delegates, Rosaline Lassiter, Frances Bennett, Hilda Lamonde; Alternates, Margaret Baker, Laura French, Leta Thompson.

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LOOKING AHEAD
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The Secret of Prosperity

Preparations for national defense have again thrown the spotlight on the mutually beneficial interrelationship of big business and small business. Three ten arguments in our American business system form the protective team which safeguards our nation in wartime and gives our people their unparalleled living standard in peacetime. The manner in which they work together to produce new ideas almost uncounted in wartime is to be commended by history and yet written up in newspapers and magazines. Almost everyone has read the story of the T-1 tank, the "Walker Bulldog." The Army needed lots of tanks and in a hurry. No "small" industry, of course, could undertake such a huge job. And yet the big industry that got the job was utterly dependent upon hundreds of small industries for parts and raw materials. The manufacture of several hundred parts in the Walker tank was formed out of that small industry which produces the "secret" of prosperity.

Works Both Ways

The dependency works both ways in peacetime, especially the small business. The big wars for three times that of business. Many people would be quick to acknowledge that the number of families of working people in America who are affected by the big wars is the smallest of any of the big business. In peacetime it is the big business which produces the goods and services for the home. In wartime it is the big business which produces the goods and services for the home. In peacetime it is the big business which produces the goods and services for the home. In wartime it is the big business which produces the goods and services for the home.

By the Pound

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Limitless Horizon

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DALE CARNEGIE
★ AUTHOR OF HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING ★

Prayer Gives Mental Strength

ON MY DESK is a touching and inspiring letter from Molly Rael, Los Angeles, Calif. When Molly was a little girl of 11, her mother was suddenly taken ill. Although Molly was one of nine children, her mother had carried the homemaking burden almost single-handed, and Molly had never realized the responsibilities of a home until now.



Carnegie

But at that early age, she had to do most of the cooking and housekeeping. Her sisters and brothers, all older than she, were either in college or working at jobs. This left only little Molly to take care of her mother, in addition to the other work.

After two weeks, her mother was ordered to the hospital. Molly watched the nurses place her mother on a stretcher and take her out of the house. She felt as if her heart within her had turned to stone; she never expected to see her beloved mother come home again. She couldn't talk; she couldn't cry.

That evening when her brothers and sisters came home, they found their home a dismal place, such as it never before had been. There was little conversation to penetrate the gloom. Suddenly one of her brothers suggested that all of them stay up during the night and pray for their mother's recovery. All agreed. They decided to keep busy at something so they wouldn't fall asleep, but never to stop praying even for one minute. All of them knew there was little hope for their mother; knew that the doctors did not expect her to live. That was a night never to be forgotten by the young members of that family.

The next morning nine young people were heartened as if by a miracle. The doctor called them to say that their mother had opened her eyes, a sign of returning strength which he had not expected. Three weeks later she was at home again, on the road to recovery.

Molly says she knows more people have recovered from severe illnesses with no prayer said over them, but nothing will ever make her believe that their prayers didn't help. Even if they had not, their faith and their keeping themselves busy, freed them from worry and gave them the necessary spiritual and mental strength to face their trial.

THIS WEEK IN Washington

AGAINST the dramatic backdrop of the peacetime testimony of General Douglas MacArthur before a joint senate committee relative to this nation's foreign policy, which the general generally depicted, a committee of the top business men of the nation, the Committee for Economic Development, has issued a statement on national policy which appears to be almost wholly at variance with that of the erstwhile Korean area commander.

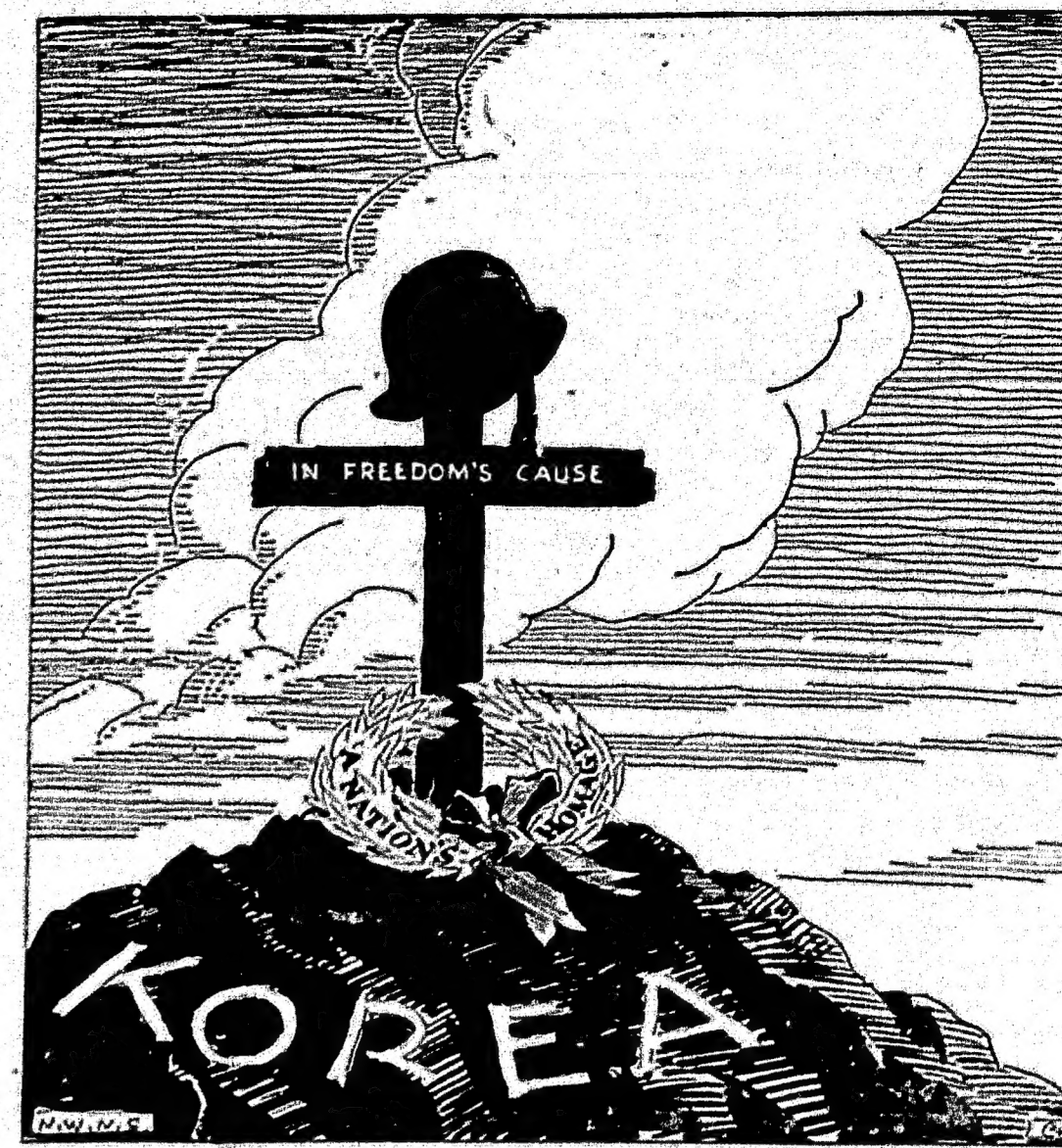
The theme of General MacArthur's testimony is that this nation's major effort to stop the Russian Communists should be made in Asia, by starting an aggressive war there, and that our enemy is not necessarily Russia but Communism. And as brought out by Senator Fulbright, Communism is an idea, a belief which cannot be defeated by force of arms, but Russian Communist imperialism and its threat to engulf the free world is the enemy against which we are now fighting in Korea and mobilizing for some day may.

The Committee for Economic Development in its national policy statement recognizes the nation's commitments to place major emphasis on the European phase of this global struggle and says: "Considering that some American reverses in Korea caused people in other countries to doubt the ability of the United States to halt the spread of Communism, it requires little imagination to foresee the strength of the war of the future psychology which would sweep the world to the extent of the Soviet conquest of western Europe. The Russians would then be in an excellent position to use tactics of political and military and industrial aggression in a drive to force the surrender of many of the countries remaining outside the Soviet orbit and thus largely to negate the United States strategic, diplomatic, ideological and economic strength."

"The many millions of Americans who have supported the European policy of the United States government since the war have done so in and applied research competition with developments. There are 9,000 other chemical companies in America, including some that have grown up from little companies to big ones in recent years, such as Union Carbide and Carbon, Monsanto, American Cyanamid, the Dow Chemical, etc. Of the 12,000 jobs in the chemical industry to date, nearly all of them grew out of research."

This exploring of the almost limitless horizon of development is constantly being done by the big companies who have the resources to carry on extensive research. And it guarantees a continuing growth in the field of little business as well as big. Although the Socialists will shut their eyes and ears and believe if the U. S. Chemical Research reports there are almost a million more businesses and manufacturing plants in America today than there were 20 years ago, a growth of 500 per cent, and most of the new ones are small. This growth

WIDENED MEMORIAL DAY HORIZONS



ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable From Local Welfare.

According to an announcement recently issued over Radio Moscow, Russia's fourth and last five-year plan has been completed well ahead of schedule. Her production capacity has been boosted more than 70 per cent as compared with 1946. Very great progress has been made in the field of basic war commodities, including steel, coal and oil.

Thus, Newsweek reported, firmly established Russia "as the world's second industrial power after the U. S." However, going by the best available evidence, she is a poor second. Newsweek printed a graph showing U. S. production vs. that of the U. S. S. R. for a number of key items. In 1950 Russia produced just under 28,000,000 tons of steel we produced nearly 97,000,000 tons. Our coal output was 385,000,000 tons, while ours was 385,000,000 kilowatt hours, while ours was 385,000,000 kilowatt hours.

As some authorities have pointed out, our actual superiority in production is not quite as marked as the bare statistics indicate for the reason that the Kremlin can use a much greater percentage of its goods and services for military purposes than can we. Her people largely live on a subsistence level, and by government fiat their living standards can be lowered instantly. If the Politburo so desired, everything can be devoted to guns and nothing at all to butter. To quote Newsweek once more in this connection, "Soviet industrial expansion had been achieved at the expense of consumer goods. In some cases the output fell below par. For example, only 192,000,000 pairs of shoes (target 240,000,000) were turned out last year, compared with 240,000,000 in 1949."

However, even after making full allowance for such factors as these, we still have a tremendous edge over the Soviet Union in the production machine which is the telling factor in any extended war. If the productive power of Western Europe is added, the edge becomes much greater still. When it comes to getting out goods and services of any kind, the United States and her potential allies are enormously stronger than the USSR and her satellites.

Those who have a knowledge of the supposed facts are unanimously certain that our superiority is considerably greater in still another vitally important field of production—the A-bomb. And it is said our stockpiles of this weapon are far larger than Russia's. It is for these reasons, many believe, that Russia has so far stopped her aggressive short of all-out war. The men of the Kremlin are not fools, nor are they suddenly inclined. It can be powerfully argued that if Russia does strike, it will be because her masters believe that the next war can be brought to a relatively quick conclusion, with communism victorious. Otherwise, the argument, Russian strategy for an indefinite future time will be to attempt to keep the country busy spending manpower and resources in a series of "little wars" on the Korean model.

Crossword

Puzzle

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- PUZZLE NO. 125**
4. Mistletoe
5. Pines
6. Light above
7. Pines
8. War god
9. Role of scale
10. Kind of hat
11. Aft
12. To fantasize
13. Ancient king-
dom in Syria
14. Worried
15. Mistletoe
16. Mistletoe
17. Exclamation
18. Kind of pastry
19. To eat
20. American
21. Part of house
22. Attacks with
force
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24. To prohibit
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Answer to Puzzle No. 124

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YOUR brain budget

1. Which of these is a city in India which gave its name to a pair of riding breeches? (a) Bagdad, (b) Jodhpur, (c) Calcutta.
2. Which came first, (a) the language or (b) the alphabet?
3. Who crossed the Red Sea pursued by chariots? (a) the Israelites, (b) Elias, (c) the Philistines?
4. Whose mirror "cracked from side to side"? (a) the wicked queen in "Snow White," (b) Queen Elizabeth's, (c) Lady of Shalott's?
5. Ross Tweed was associated with which hall? (a) Deer Hall, Munich, (b) Tammany?

GRASS ROOTS OPINION

Salem, Indiana, Republican. "The Postmaster General has asked Congress to double the postage on newspapers, which will mean an increase in costs to the people who buy them. No mention has been made, however, about a means to eliminate costly expense and practices of the post office department."
Ann Arbor, Mich., Washburn. "Post Tribune 'Adam Smith's rule that 'Money' should be one-fifth of one-tenth of 'Annual Produce' is even now in 1951 badly broken for our money is now \$175 billions, or more than one half our 'Annual Produce,' where as it should not at the utmost exceed 100 billions, or one-fifth."
New Sharon, Iowa, Star. "All business should be done by the people. You anything and everything if you'll vote them into power—security, more money for less work."

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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. A. Judith Grover Tent N. V. met Monday evening, May 14, at the Juvenile Gr Memorial Day plans were at some length. It was contribute to the South and Living Memorial day evening, May 25, as the time for a meet and make wren Grange Hall. Each one ed to bring something ing party and the put furnished.
The Patriotic Instru ed the following progr Reading A Gift for M Helen Ring Brief biography of U. Reading Clara Whitma On Memorial Day, will form at 1:30 and ton Richard, Mexico, a speaker.
The Susan B. Haswell Circle met Tuesday evening, May 15, at the home of Mrs. man. Reports were given sation meeting held
The following officers ed to serve for the en President Missions Vice Pres. Cla Secretary and Treasurer Edite Spiritual Life Chairma Tre Membership Secretary Lou White Cross Secretary J Christian Friendliness Tr Christian Citizenship Stewardship Sunshine Chairman In Pianist Tre
The next meeting w with Mrs. Bertha Beck
Guest officers night w by Jefferson Chapter, C night, with 38 mem guests present and 11 d presented.
After a 6:30 supper Mrs. Esther Farnum an the following guest of fered the degrees up Mrs. Gilman Whitman W. M. Mrs. Thirza C W. P. Perry Rhode A. M. Adeline A. P. Virgil Meo Ellen Rhode Treas. Annie Eastm Concl. Helen Mo A. Cond. Mabel An Chap. Annie Bryant, J Mr. Lucetia Hamill Mr. Addelyn Mann, J Mr. Marguerite Co Ash Thelma Gaudin Esther Ada Balen Martha Muriel Can Elyta Hazel Ellis, B Vander Ruth Ingalls, C. Amos Barnett, M. Merle
Franklin Grange me with the follow cation service in mem ory, Fred M. Cole, Quaker, Ella Day, Ro and Mary Fell.
by Mrs. Annie and Reading "Crossed by Chaplain Phyllis I
by Annie and Father We Rest in Then a program was singing. Rob Call What I Like in a Flo Reading Mrs. Olive Da Jokes
Mrs. Ella Wright, So telling her cousin, June this week.
Mrs. Irving Cushman daughter of Brunswick with her parents, Mr. a Bryant, while her at 13 Louis, Mo.
Mr. and Mrs. LaFord Mr. and Mrs. Elden H Mrs. Edith Hathaway a crones of the Grand P. B. at Portland Me.
Mrs. Elden Hathaway for her daughter, S. ceneath birthday, May following guests pre Cheryl and Joy Ken Brown, Louise Whit Gitchell, Diane Fari Ann Twitchell. A F was enjoyed and refe ending two birthday
U. S. SAVIN POND Are Always a G

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Edith C. Abbott

Judith Grover Tent No. 17, D. of U. V. met Monday evening, May 14, at the Juvenile Grange Hall. Memorial Day plans were discussed at some length. It was voted to contribute to the South Memorial Living Memorial Funds. Friday evening, May 25, was appointed as the time for members to meet and make wreaths at the Grange Hall. Each one is requested to bring something for a tasteful party and the punch will be furnished.

The Patriotic Instructor presented the following program:
Reading A Gift for Mother's Day
Helen Ring

Brief biography of U. S. Grant
Verna Swan
Mother

Reading Clara Whitman

On Memorial Day, the parade will form at 1:30 and Rev. Clayton Richard, Mexico, will be the speaker.

The Susan E. Haswell Missionary Circle met Tuesday evening, May 15, at the home of Mrs. Inez Whitman. Reports were given of the Association meeting held at Canton.

The following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:
President Verna Swan
Missionary Vice Pres. Clara Whitman
Secretary and Treasurer

Edith Whitman

Spiritual Life Chairman

Membership Secretary

White Cross Secretary Bertha Beck

Christian Friendliness

Christian Citizenship

Stewardship

Sunshine Chairman Inez Whitman

Planist Tressa Stowell

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Bertha Beck on June 19.

Guest officers night was observed by Jefferson Chapter, OES, Friday night, with 38 members and 38 guests present and 11 chapters represented.

After a 6:30 supper served by Mrs. Esther Farnum and assistants the following guest officers conferred the degrees upon Mr. and Mrs. Gilman Whitman.

W. M. Mrs. Thirza Given, Solon

W. P. Perry Rhodenizer, Weld

A. M. Adeline Keene,

Mechanic Falls

A. P. Virgil Benson,

Mechanic Falls

See Ellen Rhodenizer, Weld

Treas. Annie Eastman, Bethel

Cond. Helen Morton, Bethel

A. Cond. Mabel Andrews, Weld

Mar. Lucille Hamilton, Norway

Org. Addelyn Mann, Bryant Pond

Alt. Marguerite Cotton, Bethel

Alt. Thelma Gauthier, Rumford

Enser. Ada Balentine, Bethel

Martha Muriel Carr, Rumford

Eneta Hazel Ellis, Bolster's Mills

Reader Ruth Ingalls, West Paris

Eneta Amos Barnett, West Paris

Eneta Merle Ring, town

Franklin Grange met Saturday evening with the following members:

Reading "Crossing the Bar" by Chaplain Phyllis Hathaway

Enet Annie and Olive Davis

Enet Father We Rest in Thy Love

Then a program was given, with singing.

Enet Call

What I Like in a Flower Garden

Reading "I Like to Dream"

Enet Mrs. Olive Davis

Enet Mrs. Ella Wight, South Paris, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Hattie

Enet Mrs. Irving Cushman and infant daughter, of Brunswick, are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bryant, while her husband is at St. Louis, Mo.

Enet Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Elden Hathaway and Mrs. Edith Hathaway attended the exercises of the Grand Chapter, O. P. U. at Portland this week.

Enet Mrs. Elden Hathaway gave a party for her daughter, Susan, on her seventh birthday, May 19, with the following guests present: Gayle, Cheryl and Joy Kennison, Addie Brown, Louise Whitman, Kathy Twitchell, Diane Farrar and Carol Ann Twitchell. A treasure hunt was enjoyed and refreshments, including two birthday cakes, served.

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WOODSTOCK HIGH

John Davis, Sports Reporter

Woodstock High Wins Thriller

From Canton, 2-1

Bryant Pond, May 11 — The

Woodstock Tigers scored two runs

in the last of the eighth to defeat

Canton 2-1 in a scheduled seven-

inning contest. In the seven in-

nings, Fred Farnum of the Tigers,

had allowed only three men to

reach first base, all of them via

walks. In the top of the eighth,

Canton's only hit and Farnum's

error gave the visitors the lead. In

the last of the eighth, Jerry Davis

led off with a walk, Jim Tyler

fanned, Jim Andrews reached first

on a fielder's choice which saw

Davis forced at second. Then Fred

Farnum walked, Alton Hathaway

doubled to score Andrews with the

tying run and Dick Mills doubled

to score Farnum with the winning

run. Farnum fanned twelve and

Peplin thirteen in the pitcher's du-

el.

Canton

Richards, 2b

LaPlant, 3b

Peplin, p

Conant, c

Chamberlin, cf

Irish, ss

Ellis, 1b

York, rf

Terrill, lf

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Woodstock

Tyler, cf

Andrews, ss

Farnum, p

A Hathaway, c

Mills, 1b

B Hathaway, 3b

Green, 2b

Coffin, rf

Strout, lf

Davis, lf

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Two out when winning run

scored.

Canton 000 000 01—2

Woodstock 000 000 02—1

Runs—Ellis, Andrews, Farnum.

Errors—Farnum, RBI—A

Hathaway, Mills, 2BH—Ellis, A

Hathaway, Mills 2, LOB—Canton 3,

Woodstock 5, BOB—Peplin, A

Farnum 2, SO—Peplin 13, Farnum 12.

Winner—Farnum, Loser—Peplin.

Umpires—Farrar and Hathaway.

Time—2:15.

Woodstock Tigers Defeat Oxford,

2-1, in League Contest

Bryant Pond, May 13 — The

Woodstock High Tigers added an-

other victory to their belt with an

8-1 victory over Oxford. Freddy

Farnum went all the way with a

four-hitter to notch his fifth win

of the year without a loss, strik-

ing out ten and not walking a bat-

ter. Dick Mills continued his amaz-

ing batting spree with three hits

to boost his average to .714.

Oxford

Belanger, cf

Quinn, 2b

Mills, 1b

Herrick, c

Dunn, ss

Pritz, p-3b

Strout, lf

Frye, 3b

Johnson, p

Pike, rf

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Woodstock

Andrews, ss

Farnum, p

Mills, 1b

A Hathaway, c-lf

B Hathaway, 3b

Tyler, cf

Davis, lf-c

Green, 2b

Strout, rf

Cary, rf

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Oxford 000 000 1-1

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Runs—Mills, Andrews 2, Far-

num 2, Mills, A Hathaway, B Hat-

away, Strout. Errors—Frye 3

RBI—Mills 3, A Hathaway, Tyler

Green 2, 2BH—Farnum 2, Green

Soc. Herrick, Dunn LOB—Ox-

ford 1, Woodstock 19 BOB Pritz

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Farnum 10 Hits Pritz 4 to 2

Johnson, 6 to 4 Winner Farnum

Loser Pritz Umpires Brown

and Hathaway Time 3 hours

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Mrs. C. James Knights, Corr.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Raup and

Prof. Earle P. Stevens from Harvard

Forest, Petersham, Mass., were re-

cent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Her-

schel Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lufkin of

South Windham were recent Sun-

day guests of Mr. and Mrs. George

Abbott.

Mrs. John Hemingway visited sev-

eral days last week with relatives

at West Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck and

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buck and

children recently spent a Sunday

with relatives at Bath.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway

were at Lewiston on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole, Mr.

and Mrs. Earle Whitney were at

Bangor over the week end. On

Saturday evening they attended the

Down East Jamboree, Dick Cole,

caller, with his own orchestra,

Cole's County Boys, Richard (Dick)

Cole is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Her-

man Cole and attends the Uni-

versity of Maine.

Peggy Graffum spent the week

end with Althea Rogers, Gore Road.

Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Warner have

moved to Vermont. Their rent has

been let to a family from Wey-

mouth, Mass.

Mrs. Marjorie Yates and children

visited Sunday with friends at West

Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights

and Clyde were supper guests one

night last week with Mr. and Mrs.

Earle Whitney.

Both sides of the church have

been shingled. Several of the men

in the neighborhood did the work.

Mrs. Harry Billings recently spent

the day with Mrs. Lee Billings and

Mrs. Edgar Davis.

Charles Billings and Ed Taylor

are working for Norman Mills.

Tigers Maintain First-Place Status

By Beating Buckfield

Bryant Pond, May 17 — The

Woodstock Tigers kept their first

place status with a win over Buck-

field, 6-2. Burt Hathaway went the

route for his first victory of the

year. Burt struck out five and is-

sued one walk, in the second ap-

pearance of the season on the

mound. Fred Farnum got three hits

to lead the winners.

Buckfield

Bennett, 2b

McAllister, p

Smith, c

Jack, ss

Jewell, 1b

Hanson, 3b

Swift, lf

Warren, rf

Knight, cf

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Woodstock

Andrews, ss

Farnum, 3b

Mills, 1b

A Hathaway, c

B Hathaway, p

Tyler, cf

Davis, lf

Green, 2b

Coffin, rf

Strout, rf

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Buckfield 610 001 0-2

Woodstock 119 310 0-6

Runs—Jack 2, Andrews, Far-

num 2, A Hathaway, Tyler, Strout

Errors—Tyler, Knight, Andrews

RBI—Swift, A Hathaway, Green,

Farnum 2, 2BH—Jack, Farnum,

SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

M. CARSON
EDWARDS
Associate Editor
Parents Magazine

AN INTERESTING new entry in the informative pamphlet series issued by the Public Affairs Committee is "So You Want to Adopt a Baby," which treats in forthright, warmhearted manner the problems which beset adoptive parents.

Few human relationships are more hedged about with emotional tensions than that of foster parents toward the child of unknown origin whom they have made part of their hearts and households. Ruth Carson, author of the pamphlet, says frankly that some couples are constitutionally unfitted to be adoptive parents; perhaps because deep-seated resentment at failure to produce a flesh-and-blood baby keeps them from giving a stranger's child the love and security needed for its successful development; perhaps they are too old, too proud and set in their ways, or, conversely, too filigree and self-centered.

Authorized placement agencies consider carefully all these factors and the pamphlet is most insistent about the grave importance of "legal adoption." Black or gray market channels supply the demand for babies faster than accredited agencies can, but they have brought heartache and conflict into many normally well-adjusted families. There are cases where diseased or abnormal children have been fostered on unsuspecting parents ill equipped to handle or care for them. In other instances a natural mother, with her legal rights—has demanded the return of a child she had surrendered for adoption and

caused bitter pain and frustration to the foster parents who had learned to love it devotedly and centered high hopes on its future. There is good reason, Miss Carson assures us, for the leisurely workings of a qualified adoption bureau. First of all "... there are ten sets of would-be parents to every small baby available through legitimate channels..." So it is manifestly impossible for a couple just to walk off with the cuddly infant they want just as soon as they have decided they want it. (The process can be speeded up for couples willing to take an older child—but the quite natural impulse is to prefer an infant who will grow up in the adoptive family with neither memories nor influence of any previous environment.)

Then, too, the adoption agency must take time to clear legal, health and, insofar as practical, psychological factors about children awaiting placement. Moreover, the job is in a sense one of matchmaking! So even if there is a baby available when an eager applicant files request, the agency must still take its own good time to discover whether it's the right child for the particular parents who have asked for it.

Some states have laws with regard to religion and race. Health and age of foster parents also enter into consideration. The home into which the child is going must be investigated. Says Miss Carson, "The agency will want to know your income, of course. But the size of it is not nearly so important as its steadiness, and the way you manage it."

UPTON

Mrs. G. A. Jenkins, Owner

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Jenkins had as Sunday guest, her mother, Mrs. Lester Hathaway of Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brownell of Camden, Maine, were Sunday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Albert B. Jenkins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Jenkins attended Pomona Grange meeting at Watford, Tuesday evening of this week.

Moving pictures were shown at the school house Saturday evening, "An American Journey." Also, there

were pictures again Wednesday evening this week.

A storm shower was given to Mrs. Mae Goodrum on Friday evening, May 18.

Fred Jenkins, W. E. Hicks and Horace Goodrum attended the fire meeting at Errol, N. H., Friday evening, May 18.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kenyon have arrived at their cottage for the summer.

Mrs. Arline Bernier gave a birthday party at the school house Friday May 18 for Fred Jenkins II with all the school children and teacher attending.

this week's patterns...

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"EASY DOES IT"

WEEDS AND GRASS can be prevented from growing in between bricks in walks if you pour crack sand all over them two or three times a season.

A lovely finish for unpainted furniture consists of sanding the wood first, then applying a coat of shellac and sanding. Repeat sanding and apply a second coat of shellac. Sand again and apply a softy finished varnish.

Before driving a nail into plaster, hold the nail in hot water for a few minutes before pounding it into the wall.

When hanging pictures and mirrors, place two strips of cellophane

tap in a cross on the wall before driving the nail in. It goes in smoothly and does not destroy the plaster.

If you have bricks around the fireplace, they can be scrubbed with a wire brush. Then coat with oil applied with a paint brush.

Old picture frames can be cleaned by rubbing very gently with a weak solution of ammonia and water. Repeat if necessary. Dry by patting with a very soft cloth.

If you call a few pieces of rubber to the bottom of a step stool or a ladder, this will prevent it from sliding.

New houses and rooms which are subject to dampness can be helped to dry quickly if you place some pieces of cambric in the corners.

When you paint ceilings and wainscots, it is overhead, prevent the paint from dripping by using a roller to lay on the paint, then use a brush to touch up the corners.

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Owner

One hundred fifty friends of the Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes gathered to pay tribute to her at a memorable service held at the First Universalist Church last Sunday. The service was conducted by the pastor of the Church, the Rev. Earle W. Dolph.

Prayer was offered by the Rev. Hazel I. Kirk of Casco, a friend of many years standing. The tribute sermon, "Stars in My Crown," was given by the Rev. Weston A. Cate, D. D., of North Adams, Mass., who spoke of the many qualities possessed by Mrs. Forbes have endeared her to her many friends. Mrs. Forbes pronounced the benediction, and after the services received the greetings from those who came to honor her.

Among those present from out-of-town were: Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Littlefield, Martha Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hutchinson, Mrs. Ruth Morrell; Brooklyn, N. Y., Lilla Perkins; Buckfield, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Sanborn; Bryant Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Abner H. Mann; Canton, Mrs. B. L. Adams, Sr., Samuel T. Hayden, Mrs. Isabella Hayden, Mrs. Evie York, T. Aron; Casco, The Rev. Hazel I. Kirk, Gladys H. Wright, Beale B. Gay, Isabel H. King; Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Shaw; Greenwood, Alta Millett; Mexico, Vernon E. Davis; New Gloucester, Mr. and Mrs. S. Clifton Clark; New London, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Houghton; North Adams, Mass., The Rev. and Mrs. Weston A. Cate; North Yarmouth, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Allen, Mrs. Eva Cushman; Norway, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Brown, Bruce Brown Jr., Stephen Brown, Mrs. Maude Decosta, Mrs. Hortense Yates, Gertrude Gardiner, Charlotte J. Moore, Glenna Gurney, Della Noyes; Rumford, Sylvia Schwind, Kathleen V. Poland, Clara L. Jackson, Florence P. Burnham, Robert Harrington; South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Barnett, Mrs. C. G. Miller, Ruth Miller, Annie Eastman; South Portland, Mrs. Leroy Dymont; West Sumner, Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and Kathleen, Mrs. Emily Tuell.

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—Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Corres.—
We are much pleased to notice the increase in attendance at the church services since the time has been changed to the early hour of 9:45 a. m. Last Sunday morning a very interesting service was conducted by Miss Marilyn Goldsmith and William Hobbs, two members of the Bates College Deputation Team.

Tuesday evening of last week a wedding reception was tendered Mr and Mrs Edwin Bumpus (nee Ava Hutchins) at Abner Kimball's dance pavilion. Music for dancing was furnished by Mrs. Hazel Wardwell, Cecil Kimball and Ellis Davis. Many nice gifts were received. Refreshments of cake, sandwiches, and punch were served.

Wednesday, May 16, the Albany Farm Bureau met with Mrs. Edith Stearns and Mrs. Lilla Stearns for an all day meeting. The business meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Alice Kimball. Several items of business were discussed. Four members had attended the Home Demonstration Week Program, which was reported by Mrs. Alice Kimball. Mrs. Dot Henley gave a very interesting report on her trip to Farm and Home Week at Orono. A box lunch was served at noon. In the afternoon instructions were given on Swedish weaving.

A Circle Supper was held at Hunt's Corner, May 17. Movies were shown during the evening. Clyde Hall has been doing some work for Harry Spring.

Round Mountain Grange No. 162 met Monday evening, May 21, at their hall with nine members present. After the business meeting the following literary program was presented by the Lecturer, Sister Alta Meserve:

Opening song, "My Rosary" on victrola
Reading, Somebody's Mother
Sister Edith Stearns
Roll Call, Suggestions to help the Lecturer with her program.
Famous Mothers Sis. Annie Bumpus
Quiz by all
Several members brought pictures of their mothers which made a very interesting display.
Closing Song, "I'll Take You Home Again, Kathleen" on victrola

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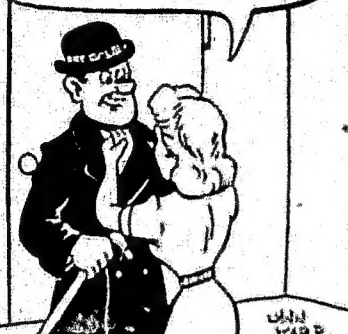
—AND SO I SAY THIS COMPANY NEEDS COURAGE, LEADERSHIP, AND I KNOW HOW TO—



—AND IN CONCLUSION, I SAY, ONWARD, LET'S PUT JOE'S BOLTS IN THE PUBLIC EYE!



YOU HAVEN'T A THING TO WORRY ABOUT DEAR, YOU KNOW IT BY HEART!



AND SO—HIC—CUP—GENTLEMEN, I—HIC—SAY—CUP—LET'S—HIC—

**SOUTH ALBANY**

—Mrs. Roy Wardwell Corres.—
Mr and Mrs Alexander Stearns from South Paris called on Mr and Mrs Roy Wardwell, Sunday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs John Spilney were in Bethel, Saturday night.

Leon Kimball has covered his barn roof with new roofing. Ivan Kimball assisted him.

Floyd Kimball was a business caller at Roy Wardwell's, Monday. Mrs. Leon Kimball entertained relatives from Auburn, Sunday evening.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Wardwell and Jean and Jane, were in Bryant Pond Monday evening.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
WHEREAS, Orman F. Bennett of Fryeburg, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed dated November 1, 1950 and recorded in Western Registry District of Oxford County in Book 187, Page 424, conveyed the following real estate to Blanche A. Bennett of Portland, in the County of Cumberland and State of Maine: "a certain lot or parcel of land situated in the town of Fryeburg and in the portion thereof known as Fryeburg Village, and on the easterly side of Olney Street in said Village, and being a portion of that parcel conveyed to William J. and Nellie M. Keefe by Elin S. Olney by deed dated September 8, 1923 and recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 116, Page 142, particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone set in the ground on the easterly side of said street, which said stone is the southeasterly corner of the parcel herein conveyed and the southeasterly corner of the parcel sold by said Elin S. Olney to James W. Stanford, thence by said street northwesterly fifty (50) feet to a point, thence parallel with said Stanford's westerly line to the southerly side line of the original homestead premises in all a distance of fifty (50) in a southeasterly direction to the northwesterly corner of said Stanford's land, thence southeasterly to the point of beginning.

Also another certain lot or parcel of land situated in the portion of the town of Fryeburg known as Fryeburg Village and on the easterly side of Pleasant Street therein, adjacent to and next southerly of the first described parcel bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeast corner of the parcel above described and on the southerly side of said Pleasant Street, the same being evidenced by a stone post set in the ground, thence easterly to the northeast corner thereof and in a straight line the same being evidenced by a split stone set in the ground with stones laid around it, and is on the easterly side line of lot No. 1 First Division Upland, laid to the original right of John Evans as conveyed by the Plan of the town of Fryeburg, thence southerly by said lot line, the same separating the parcel hereby conveyed from land now owned by Martha F. Hastings, ten (10) feet to a point, thence parallel with the first course, and ten (10) feet therefrom westerly to the easterly side of said Pleasant Street, and to a point thereon ten (10) feet southerly from the point of beginning, thence by said Pleasant Street, northerly ten (10) feet to the point of beginning," and

WHEREAS, the said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Blanche A. Bennett to me, the undersigned, May 10, 1951, by assignment recorded in said Registry of Deeds in Book 121, Page 424, and WHEREAS, the condition of said mortgage has been broken, NOW THEREFORE, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I, Malcolm S. Winslow, come by assignment of said mortgage, claim a foreclosure thereof. Dated at Portland, Maine, this twenty-second day of May, A. D. 1951.

Malcolm S. Winslow 23

GREENWOOD CITY

—Mrs. Collis Morgan, Corres.—

Ernest Curtis Jr. and family were callers at his brother's, Glen Curtis, on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Ardell Hayes of Norway called on relatives on Sunday. Mrs. Clyde Morgan attended the Tabbs School reunion Sunday afternoon and then spent the evening with her father, Ernest Curtis.

Mr and Mrs Leonard Holt were in Norway and South Paris, Sunday. Mr and Mrs Maynard Chase of West Paris were Sunday callers of friends in town.

SCHOOL NEWS by Evelyn Curtis

Our flower contest has increased from twenty-six last week to fifty-two this week. We have had the white Lady's Slipper which few of us had seen and the Wild Ginger which is very odd.

With our unit of work on Alaska we have made large maps on which we printed products, industries, and other things of importance.

WEST GREENWOOD

—Mrs. Paul W. Croteau, Corres.—
Pet Paul Croteau of Camp Edwards, Mass., spent the week end at home.

Pet and Mrs. Paul Croteau are announcing the birth of a son, Saturday, at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Gayden Davis, daughter, Ethel and son Thomas of West Paris were callers Sunday at Bob's.

SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.—

Mr and Mrs Carroll Buck and little daughter, Vickie, of Gorham were calling at Leslie Kimball's Sunday.

Frank Anticosky has returned to Abner Kimball's after spending the winter months on a farm near Augusta.

Mr and Mrs G. Leroy Hunter and two little boys of Unity spent a recent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Ralph Kimball, and family. Their mother who had been visiting here returned home with them.

Mr and Mrs Herbert McKenzie of Somersworth, N. H., were visiting this week end at George Logan's.

Mrs. Clyde Hall has returned home after an extended visit with relatives.

Mr and Mrs George Logan were in Rumford, Monday afternoon.

Vicki, little daughter of Mr and Mrs Carroll Buck of Gorham, formerly of this vicinity has been taken to a Portland hospital, very ill with whooping cough and pneumonia.

NORTH NEWRY

—Mrs. L. E. Wight, Corres.—

Mr and Mrs Hartley Hanscom had for Sunday guests: Mr and Mrs Arthur Cummings, Bethel, Mr and Mrs Walter Newell and son, Charlie, Locke Mills, Mr and Mrs Verne Glover and children, Ridgville.

Mr and Mrs John B. Vail, Mr and Mrs Herbert Morton Jr., Mrs. Herbert Morton, attended the children's dance recital at Bethel on Monday night. Miss Marjorie Morton is a pupil of the Ellen T. Cooper School of Dance.

Allen Carlisle of Rumford spent the week end at his place on the Branch.

Art Deegan's and Alden Wilson's, Mrs. Alden Wilson and Mrs. Robert Deegan were in West Paris Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Paul Croteau Jr. and infant son returned home Sunday from Rumford.

Mr and Mrs Ray Mills of Norway were guests of his sister, Mrs. Amy Bunker, Sunday.

Mrs. Horton Buck of Gorham, N. H., was calling on relatives one day last week.

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John Clifford of Grafton Pla. is working for William Barker.

Mrs. Claude Herrick was calling on relatives in town last week.

Don't forget the Chicken Pie Supper and Dance at Newry Corner on Friday night of this week.

Mr and Mrs Seymour McAllister, Bryant Pond spent the week end at their camp in Newry.

Roberta Puffer of Brunswick was a guest of Miss Carrie Wight over the week end.

Bear River Grange members will visit Lone Mt. Grange, Andover, Thursday night.

Deputy Alexander Stearns will visit Bear River Grange, Saturday night for inspection.

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Years Ago

16 YEARS AGO

A Walter Arkett was fatally injured while directing traffic on road construction near the baseball field at Bryant Pond.

Members of the Bethel Grammar School Band attended the Maine Made Festival at Portland, accompanied by their leader, Miss Virginia Wolcott.

Death — Justice Henry C. Bean of Oregon, native of Bethel.

29 YEARS AGO

Herrick Brothers Company had sold 31 new Ford cars so far in 1921, including 11 in May.

Deaths — Fred B. Howe, Mrs. Rebecca Caswell, Mrs. Hannah E. Wright, Mrs. Nellie Cole.

30 YEARS AGO

The Merrill, Springer Co. mill was in operation after being shut down 10 days for repairs.

Webster Grover saw a finger while working at Skillings' mill so that it was necessary to amputate it.

D. W. Chushing moved from Mason to the store purchased from W. J. Douglas.

Deaths — Mrs. Esther P. Verrill.

40 YEARS AGO

Rev. A. W. Pottle, first pastor of the Bethel Methodist Church, was speaker at morning and evening meetings on the fiftieth anniversary of the opening of the church.

A Van Den Kerkhofen announced the opening of his store with a stock of plants, jardinières, vases, Bethel views and post cards, cigars and tobacco, at the new telephone office on May 23.

The home of G. B. Crocker and family was burned in an early morning fire. The family escaped but saved nothing.

Deaths — Mrs. Mary E. Corham, Orville A. Hildreth.

50 YEARS AGO

Fred B. Greene of Portland, representing the H. F. Webb Co., was in town arranging for a lease for the local corn shop.

A J. Haskell was preparing to move the old house from the corner near the post office at Bethel and build a store there during the summer.

Deaths — Mrs. Martha Hammons.

MAINE THREE-QUARTER

CENTURY CLUB TO MEET AT

COLBY COLLEGE, AUGUST 22

The 1951 meeting of the Maine Three-Quarter Century Club will be held at Colby College's new Mayflower Hill campus on Wednesday, August 22, Guy P. Butler, executive manager of the Maine Publicity Bureau, has announced.

Tentative acceptance of the college's invitation to the club to meet there was made some time ago but the making of an arrangement could not be completed until now.

The Maine Three-Quarter Century Club, the only state-wide group of its kind in the country, was organized more than 25 years ago as a means of paying tribute to Maine's early settlers and also to keep up the fact that people live long in Maine.

Meetings were suspended during World War II but were resumed in 1947 after the Maine Publicity Bureau had been organized to take over sponsorship of the organization. Annual gatherings since then have been held in Portland, South Portland, Bath and Brewer.

Present officers of the Three-Quarter Century Club are John L. Barker, Bangor, Acting President; Rev. Nelson Miles Hildreth, Albion, Secretary; Henry E. Hurdell, Yarmouth, A. B. Clark, Bethel's Mills, John H. Merrill, Auburn, Executive Committee.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. David Hickland, Pastor

Miss Minnie Wilson

Church School Superintendent

9:45 a. m. Church School as usual

for all classes and groups.

11 a. m. A Union memorial service

at the Congregational Church.

5:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the

Church.

7 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellow-

ship with a special program of

worship, followed by a social hour.

WEST PARISH

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Charles L. Pendleton, Minister

Sunday, May 27, 1951.

9:30 Church School. Mrs. Henry

Hastings, Supt.

11:00 Memorial Sunday Commu-

nity Worship. The Methodist Church

is cordially invited to worship in

the Congregational Church in a

community-wide observance.

The guests will be the American

Legion and American Legion Ad-

visory, the Boy Scouts and the

Cub Scouts.

Monday, May 28th.

The Service of Installation.

In the afternoon at 4:00 there

will be an examination.

At 6:00 there will be a Fellow-

ship Supper. Tickets at \$1.00 from

Mrs. Harry Kozak.

At 7:00 the Installation. A cor-

dial invitation is extended to any

who care to attend part, or all, of

the program.

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ety, near you.

Golden Text: "In the way of thy

judgments, O Lord, have we waited

for thee; the desire of our soul is

to thy name, and to the remem-

brance of thee." Isaiah 26:8.

WSPA MET AT HARRISON

ON MONDAY, MAY 14

The Western Maine Firemen's

Association met at Harrison Mon-

day evening, May 14, the program

starting with a supper at 6:30. Fol-

lowing this the group adjourned to

the parking space of the Tarbox

Garage where Frank Holt of South

Portland gave a demonstration of

various types of fire extinguishers

as used on a gasoline blaze. Mr.

Holt was assisted by the Harrison

Department.

The meeting was called to order

at 8:25 in the Odd Fellows Hall by

President Lyman E. Eia of Frye-

burg, the minutes of the last meet-

ing being read by Assistant Secre-

tary Lord in the absence of Secre-

tary Charles Freeman.

The group voted to hold the June

31 meeting in North Waterford with

a supper, the August 13 meeting

in North Fryeburg, and the Octo-

ber 8 meeting at South Bridgton.

Asst. Chief Denison, Harrison,

explained how these associations

are helping to unity in fighting

forest fires. He introduced the

speaker, Frank Holt, representa-

tive and shop man of Eastern Fire

Equipment, for Portland. Mr. Holt

used for his topic "Care and Re-

pair of Fire Extinguishers, and

presented an extinguisher which

would not pass inspection. He also

presented movies.

By unanimous vote Warden Bay-

near Holt of South Paris was given

a life membership in the Asso-

ciation, the presentation to be made

in June.

One hundred nine members, rep-

resenting 20 towns were present.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30.

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Nobody's Business

Readers of this column seem to find a bit of harmless enjoyment in the sort of criticism of the other fellow each week — remarks which apparently seldom achieve any of the intended effect.

Let's have a word of praise this week for the householders who take pride in the outward appearance of their homes. It bepeaks a regard for others as well as themselves, for as we pass by the country and village residences much of pleasantness is added by the attractiveness of the premises. And certainly there is a comfort in living among neat surroundings.

It takes but a little effort now to make much improvement in our property. Neatness is the first requirement. Little or no money is required. Of course a small investment in flower seeds, plants, shrubbery, trees — paint, lumber, and nails — may be desirable. But the small time needed, which we can find if we really want to, is most that is needed.



TELEPHONE SCHOOLROOM
Billy Blair, polo player in Baltimore hospital, goes to school via inter-communication system which connects his bed to classroom.

BORN

In Rumford, May 19, to Mr and

Mrs. Paul Croteau Jr. of Green-

wood, a son.

MARRIED

In Waterford, May 12, by Dr.

Walbur I. Bull, Robert E. Grover

of Bethel and Jean Howe of Wa-

terford.

DIED

At Portland, May 16, Mrs. Eliza

Jane Moody, formerly of West Pa-

ris, aged 85 years.

At Norwell, Mass., May 16, Dr.

Frank Rounds, a native of South

Paris, aged 65 years.

At Bryant Pond, May 18, Freder-

ick C. Noyes, aged 65 years.

At Rumford, May 18, Homer J.

Barlett, aged 59 years.

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POPPIES ARRIVE AT

LEGION HOME

Poppies which everyone in Bethel will be asked to wear in honor of America's war dead on Poppy Day, May 26, have arrived at the American Legion Home from Togus, where they were made by disabled war veterans.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary were busy today counting and sorting the little red flowers in preparation for Poppy Day. Baskets, in which the volunteer workers will carry the flowers, and the coin containers, in which they will receive contributions, were being made ready. The work was being directed by Mrs. Chapman, Auxiliary Poppy Chairman.

"The poppies are crepe-paper replicas of the wild poppies which bloomed between the crosses, row on row, in the war cemeteries in France and Belgium. Each one has been shaped by hand by some disabled veteran at Togus. Each one is slightly different, but each carries the same message, 'Honor the dead and aid the disabled.'"

"The coins which people drop in to the contribution boxes carried by our poppy workers go to give comfort and cheer to disabled veterans in the hospital. They make possible further aid to families of veterans left destitute when the veterans are forced to undergo hospital treatment, and they give a helping hand to veterans seeking to re-establish themselves in life after long hospitalization. Poppy Day contributions also work throughout the year for the welfare of children of veterans found in need, helping to keep homes together and to give these children a fair start in life.

"From the contributions, too, come the earnings of the disabled veterans who make the poppies. Working in their hospital beds, wheel chairs and hospital shops, or

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